

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Mjalli, A. et al. Examiner: Michael L. Borin  
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For Discovery Thereof

Mail Stop Amendment  
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT/ELECTION OF SPECIES**

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement/Election of Species of August 26, 2008, the period for reply having been extended one month, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.